

**EXPERIENCED PROSECUTOR
NEEDED TO SERVE AS RESIDENT LEGAL ADVISOR
IN MANAGUA, NICARAGUA**

The Office of Overseas Prosecutorial Development, Assistance and Training (OPDAT), Criminal Division, U.S. Department of Justice, seeks an experienced Department Trial Attorney or Assistant United States Attorney to serve as the Department's Resident Legal Advisor (RLA) in Managua, Nicaragua. This assignment is for a term of 12 months with the possibility of an extension, contingent upon the receipt of additional funding. **This is a reimbursable detail.**

The RLA will manage the Department's justice sector assistance program. Under the direction of the U.S. Ambassador, the RLA will serve as the Executive Secretary for the Anti-Corruption Implementation Committee, coordinating assistance from the various offices and agencies within the Embassy. The RLA will maintain liaison with U.S., Nicaraguan, third country and multi-lateral agencies involved in anti-corruption programs and will help develop specific public corruption assistance for Nicaraguan prosecutors and investigators to effectively deal with current and future public corruption cases. Such assistance should promote the police/prosecutor relationship; the creation of task forces where appropriate; the collection, preservation and presentation of evidence at trial; the development of investigation and prosecution strategies; appropriate charging decisions; and effective trial practice. The RLA also will facilitate the implementation of the new Nicaraguan Criminal Procedure Code.

Applicants must have the ability to function effectively in an international, multi-cultural environment; be mature and self-sufficient; communicate effectively orally and in writing; be able to efficiently initiate and manage work projects; be fluent in Spanish, that is be able to understand all forms and styles of speech and use spoken Spanish fluently and accurately on all levels normally pertinent to professional needs; be proficient in written Spanish; and also have extensive prosecutorial experience, particularly in the area of public corruption. Also, task force prosecutorial and management experience are highly desirable.

Interested applicants should send a resume and cover letter, to arrive immediately but not later than July 15, 2005, to the United States Department of Justice, Criminal Division/OPDAT, Attention: Amy Young, Acting Regional Director, Latin America and the Caribbean, 10th and Pennsylvania Aves., NW, Washington, D.C. 20530. Ms. Young's fax number is (202) 616-6770. Electronic submissions are also encouraged to amy.young@usdoj.gov